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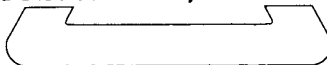
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NEWLY IDENTIFIED MOTORIZED RIFLE DIVISION
SOVETSKIY, USSR

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1. (SWN) SIGNIFICANCE: A NEWLY FORMED MOTORIZED RIFLE DIVISION (MRD) WAS IDENTIFIED AT SOVETSKIY ARMY BARRACKS, ODESSA MILITARY DISTRICT (MD), [REDACTED] THIS IS THE FOURTH NEWLY FORMED MRD TO BE IDENTIFIED IN THE WESTERN SOVIET UNION [REDACTED]

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2. (SWN) REMARKS: [REDACTED] THREE MOTORIZED RIFLE REGIMENTS WITHOUT THEIR ARMORED PERSONNEL CARRIERS, EACH CONTAINING A TANK BATTALION (T-55 EQUIPPED) AND EACH WITH ITS OWN ARTILLERY BATTALION (100MM AT GUN EQUIPPED); A TANK REGIMENT EQUIPPED WITH T-55 TANKS AND AUGMENTED WITH AN ARTILLERY BATTALION (AT GUN EQUIPPED); AN ARTILLERY REGIMENT (MINUS ONE BATTALION) EQUIPPED WITH A MIX OF HOWITZERS/AT GUNS, AND ONE BATTALION OF BM-24 MULTIPLE ROCKET LAUNCHERS; A CHEMICAL DEFENSE BATTALION; AND AN ENGINEER BATTALION WERE PRESENT.

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(SWN) THE NEWLY IDENTIFIED MRD WAS NOT PRESENT ON THE PREVIOUS INTERPRETABLE COVERAGE [REDACTED] HAVE COME FROM SIMFEROPOL ARMY BKS ANGARA AL 6 [REDACTED] WHICH HOUSED A MOBILIZATION MRD THROUGH AT [REDACTED]. MAJOR ELEMENTS OF THE MOBILIZATION MRD PROBABLY HAD DEPARTED SIMFEROPOL [REDACTED] THE SIMILARITY OF THE EQUIPMENT SEEN AT SOVETSKIY ARMY BARRACKS AND PREVIOUSLY AT SIMFEROPOL AL 6 SUGGESTS THAT THE UNITS MAY BE THE SAME.

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3. (SWN) [REDACTED] COORDINATES 45-21-10N 034-56-00E

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